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For: CYCLASE INHIBITING PARATHYROID
HORMONE ANTAGONISTS OR
MODULATORS AND OSTEOPOROSIS

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION (37 C.F.R. SECTION 1.116)

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is in response to the final Office Action dated July 13, 2004, for which a response was due on October 13, 2004. Filed herewith is a Petition and fee for a two month(s) extension of time, thereby extending the deadline for response to December 13, 2004. Accordingly, this response is timely filed. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims, as amended, in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.